

VOLUNTEER NETWORK SUPPORT GROUP
FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES

ABSTRACT

5 A volunteer network support group for people with
disabilities. People who would like to assist people
with disabilities may join a service and receive a
wearable device or a palmtop that can communicate
wirelessly through a network. People that join the
10 volunteer network describe the type of disability they
are willing/certified to assist with, available time and
other relevant information. People with disabilities also
join the volunteer service network and are provided with
a wearable wireless device (i.e. Palm top). Disabled
15 persons also specify their particular disability as well
as services that they may require. An example of how
these volunteers may be of use is: When a volunteer is
going to work in the morning on the train, the service
can connect them through the network to a blind person,
20 and the volunteer may assist the blind person by reading
a newspaper through the wireless device (like a cellular
telephone).